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In re Patent Application of

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Title: USE OF MIXTURES WITH BASE OF PT AND OF TRANSITION METAL COMPOUNDS OTHER THAN PT FOR IMPROVING THE RESISTANCE TO ARC TRACKING AND A ARC EROSION OF SILICON ELASTOMERS

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790.00 **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
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Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the

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1. ☒ A. Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered.
Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified in item 2 below.

☐ B. Applicant(s) previously submitted the following documents for which continued examination is requested:

☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____

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2. The following documents are enclosed with this submission:

- ☒ Amendment/Reply.
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS).
- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time.
- ☐ Other: _____

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- | CLAIMS | | | | | |
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of Claims | | Extra Claims | Rate | Fee |
| Examination Fee (1801) | | | | | \$ 790.00 |
| Total Claims | 43 | MINUS 39 = | 4 | x \$50.00 (1202) = | \$ 200.00 |
| Independent Claims | 6 | MINUS 6 = | 0 | x \$200.00 (1201) = | \$ 0.00 |
| If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$360.00 (1203) | | | | | |
| Total Fee | | | | | \$ 990.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Application Fee | | | | | \$ 0.00 |
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- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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